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Minutes of Meeting of Battle River Municipal Dist. Council

The Council of the M. D. of Battle River No. 423 met in the office of the municipal district at Irma, on Thursday, Jan. 9, 1936, at 10 a.m., full Council present, Reeve R. D. Smallwood presiding.

Moved by Mr. Collette that minutes of Dec. 12, 1935, be approved as read. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Stewart that report of Mr. Collette re G. Bobb impounded cattle, that this matter had been settled with the owner and pound keeper satisfactory be accepted. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Dalton that the report of Mr. Collette as to interview with Dr. Maynes re account J. Kelly and reduction of same be accepted. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that the report of Messrs. Smallwood and Dalton re the convention of Association of Municipal Districts be accepted. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that the footwear for the two girls of Rob Burns be supplied as requested. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that relief be extended to Geo. Manners for \$5 until Feb. 13, 1936. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that report of Mr. Smallwood on the meeting held at Fabyan Dec. 21 be accepted and Mr. Smallwood be appointed as a committee to go to Edmonton with the delegation from Buffalo, Coulee M.D. and Town of Wainwright re bridge over Battle River, S. 13-46-7, as requested by the said meeting held at Fabyan Dec. 21. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that secretary be instructed to draft a herd by-law for a portion of Div. 2, being all that land lying north and west of the Battle River and present same at the February meeting. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that the offer of C. E. Fenton to purchase the N. E. 18-45-8-W.4 for \$400, terms 10% cash, balance 4 equal payments at 6% interest be accepted subject to the approval of the Minister. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that secretary compute assessment on 2-45-8, with and N.E. 34-45-7, with re acreage and present figures at February meeting. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that letter from Dept. Mun. Affairs sent to the Reeve re T. Bronson as read and reply by phone be accepted. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that this M. D. lease N.W. 6-44-9, W.4th for year 1936 to R. Harding for the amount of current taxes. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that committee's report re Abernathy clothing be accepted and list of clothing as recommended be accepted to the relief branch to be filled. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that this Council recommend Old Age Pension to Eve Smith and secretary send all papers to the O. A. P. Dept. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Dalton that the application for O. A. Pension for Sybil and Josann Merrick be received and forwarded to the O.A.P. Dept. with recommendations from the Council. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that secretary notify Otto Kahre re S.W. 12-45-9 that this M. D. requires \$157.08 to redeem this land of Tax proceeding which will be required by return of mail and secretary notify the Dept. Mun. Affairs accordingly. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the municipal auditor be allowed \$10.00 for expenses re 1935 audit. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that in the matter of Provincial Savings Certificates re Trusts and Guarantee Co. Ltd. offered to this M. D. for payment of taxes that secretary forward same by registered mail to the Provincial government asking them to issue a provincial cheque for amount of certificates in favor of this Municipal District on receipt of this receipt issue the usual Tax Receipt to the Trusts and Guarantee Co. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that all parties having contagious diseases within their family be asked to report same to the Mun. Dist. Health Officer. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that Mr. Burton be appointed as a committee along with Mr. Smallwood to go to Edmonton on Municipal matters. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Stewart that statement ending Dec. 31, 1935, be passed as presented. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that a contract be drawn up by the Municipal District's solicitor re flat fee for municipal independent operations, and sent to Drs. Maynes and Middlemas and Dr. Greenberg for signatures and be presented at next meeting of the Council for approval. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that Mr.

Dalton be appointed as a committee to get application form signed by J. J. Crowley and forward same to the Municipal office, on receipt of same secretary forward a list of clothing to Edmonton to be filled and charge provincial government. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that a subscription of \$1 be sent from this M.D. to the W. D. Spence appreciation fund. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Stewart that the account of H. Santee \$10.85 Div. 1 be passed and amount drawn from General funds and the deficit of \$33.83 be debited Div. 1 1936 allocation. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that the following bills be passed and paid:

Dept. Municipal Affairs, \$1414.77

Education, 11.89

Wild Lands coll., 8.32

Mun. Acct. com. ret'd., 29.13

Town of Wainwright, school Coll., 44.26

Sydenham S.D. 1869, 57.00

Irma S. D. 2435, 639.71

Chas. Wilbraham, Insurance office, 10.29

Petty Cash, 25.00

Chas. Wilbraham, Dec. salary L.T.O. discharge caveats, 21.00

Alta. Mun. Stationers, supplies, 21.75

Irma Times, papers Dec., 25.00

C. G. Purvis, re Halvorson, 5.00

J. H. Gulbrun, re pounds, 5.50

Prov. Treas. re Child welfare, 154.72

Prov. Treas. re Mother's Allowance, November, 39.50

Wainwright Mun. Hospital, re Cummins, 18.00

re Figgins, 18.00

University Hospital, re Bergquist, 4.25

Dr. Greenberg, 4th 1/4 retainer fee, 50.00

Dr. Maynes and Middlemas, re Cummins, 70.00

re Kelly, 85.00

H. Santee, labor Div. 1, 10.85

Relief, December

Rudd & Patterson, 15.00

re Abernathy, 18.00

re Brunt, 18.00

A. C. Armstrong, re Walker, 12.00

Irma Trading Co., Manners, 5.00

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W. Adams, Burns, Nov., 5.95

re Evans, 4.95

J. Welch, Brunt, ret., 5.00

Foxwell & Johnson, Brickerie, 7.00

J. C. McFarland Co., Bergquist, 15.00

re McKie, 10.00

Motion carried.

Moved by Mr. Burton that Council adjourn. Crd.

Chas. Wilbraham, Sec. Treas., M.D. Battle River, 423, Irma.

HOCKEY!

A regular league hockey game between Tofield and Irma was played on Irma ice January 17th.

The local boys went on the ice determined to win this game, having previously only managed to tie with Tofield in the Tofield arena.

The game started at a fast pace and when the first period was over the Irma boys were out in front with the score of 4 to 1, scores being made by Lawson, Morrison, B. Maguire and F. Maguire with assists by Smallwood and Martin, and Tofield by Glover.

During the second period the score was increased to 6-3, Irma scores being made by B. Maguire, 2; F. Maguire, 2; with an assist by Martin.

The final goal saw the score 10-3, with Irma on the long end.

During the game the Irma team was short one of the regular players, Gordon Swelin, who was indisposed.

Irma's line-up was: Yeoman, Lawson, Fischer, F. Maguire, R. Maguire, R. L. Martin, Morrison, Smallwood, Knudson, Swelin not on line-up for this game. Referee, R. N. Penfield.

Tofield will again play in Irma on Saturday night, January 20th.

The Irma hockey club would like to call to the attention of all hockey fans in the Wainwright, Irma, Viking and surrounding districts that the Irma hockey club has entered the Intermediate playoffs, being bolstered by players from Wainwright and Viking.

These games are arranged and controlled by the Alberta Amateur Hockey Association.

Rudyard Kipling, Virile Bard, Dies After Short Illness

London, Jan. 18.—Rudyard Kipling, distinguished British writer of tales and poems, died suddenly at 12.10 a.m. Saturday in Middlesex hospital, less than five days after he had undergone an operation for a perforated stomach ulcer.

Although he had not spoken and had shown almost no visible signs of life for several hours, even his nurses were not aware that the end was so near.

The author was taken suddenly ill January 13 on the eve of his scheduled departure for southern France and was rushed to Middlesex hospital, where an emergency operation was performed.

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Motion carried.

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KING'S TITLE EDWARD VIII

London, Jan. 21.—The King's title will be "Edward VIII, by the grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British dominions beyond the seas, King, defender of the faith, emperor of India."

Funeral Services Now Arranged for January 28

The King's Body to Lie in State

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—King George V will be buried on January 28, a week from today, and all Canada will go into mourning. A special meeting of the cabinet will be called in the afternoon at 3 o'clock and a special proclamation will be issued by the Governor-General in Council declaring the day of mourning.

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A short time later Her Majesty the Queen went to the bedside of the stricken monarch.

The Prince of Wales, the Duke of York, the Duke of Kent and the Princess Royal assembled in the room adjoining the King's sick chamber with the Archbishop of Canterbury.

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In other words man may conquer disease, but he will not be given dominion over natural decay and eventual death, in the opinion of this noted savant.

..chest COLDS

The "Pony Express" was not run with ponies, but with the most virile breed of horses.

Charting flights probably will start about mid-year, inauguration of airmail service is likely before 1936 closes, and carrying of passengers soon will follow, aviation leaders predict.

Mass marriages sponsored by the municipal government are becoming popular in Shanghai, China. More than 140 brides were united with their respective husbands recently, conducted by the mayor.

ENJOY
Your Meals

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 The \$1.00 size is nearly four times the 50c size
 and the \$1.50 size is twice the \$1.00 size.

The masterful dictator disliked crowds, and seldom went to the capital, Caracas, preferring to live a lonely and secluded life on his country estate. Many Venezuelans have never seen him. But he had his ear to the ground 24 hours a day, and he knew everything that was going on. He gave his country a long period of peace, but of course he made hosts of enemies, for his methods were simple but drastic. Those he could catch, he shot; those who could escape from the country remained in exile. But in losing Gomez Venezuela has lost a ruler it will be extremely difficult to replace.—Montreal Star.

A process of taking blood from the bodies of the dead and preserving it to save other lives through transfusions was placed first in a "year book of fame" compiled for the Associated Press by Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association.

A giant golden eagle was killed near Priddis, Alta., when it was unable to take off in soft snow after diving for a rabbit. Clayton Tompkins, of Calgary, shot the bird as it thrashed around in the drifts. The eagle had a wing spread of seven feet two inches.

The business of this country says the Manchester Guardian is to stand with the members of the League, confirming their loyalty, giving them all the evidence that it can of its friendship—both in this and in a broader field, for we ought to turn to good use this new international unity—and maintaining patiently the principle that the League must hold on until justice is done.

Arrangements are being made to send 10 Boy Scouts to Queensland every month from Great Britain. The announcement was made by the Settlers' League. In London, negotiations are still in progress with the Federal government for financial assistance, under the settlers' agreement for the boys' passages to Queensland. On arrival, the boys will be given occupations, chiefly in farming.

More than 1,200 persons make their homes in artificial caverns the ancestors cut out of the limestone cliffs bordering the Loire river in France. Many dwellings are equipped with gas, electricity and radios.

Addis Ababa is the chief coffee market in the interior of Ethiopia.

30th November, 1935

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid up.....	\$ 26,000,000.00
Reserve funds.....	
Balance of profits carried forward as per Profit and Loss Account.....	1,849,554.65
Dividends unclaimed.....	\$ 21,409,554.65
Dividend No. 195.....	13,570.63
Dividend No. 196.....	
December, 1935.....	700,000.00
	\$ 21,322,845.28
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Deposits by and balances due to Demington Government.....	\$ 7,915,452.11
Deposits by and balances due to Provincial Governments.....	5,194,163.82
Deposits by the public not bearing interest, including interest in Canada.....	1,287,142.74
Deposits by the public bearing interest, including interest in Canada.....	46,268,374.83
Deposits by and balances due to other, including interest in Canada.....	559,076.76
Deposits by and balances due to banks and banking institutions in Canada.....	
Deposits by and balances due to banks and banking institutions in foreign countries.....	8,922,120.16
	\$ 68,346,512.51
Notes of the bank in circulation.....	32,568,475.82
Acceptances and Letters of Credit outstanding.....	1,831,631.28
Liabilities to the public not included under the foregoing heads.....	383,859.04
	\$809,919,700.47

ASSETS		
Gold held in Canada		\$ 2,484.16
Subsidiary coin held in Canada		1,205,997.43
Gold held elsewhere		812,222.22
Subsidiary coin held elsewhere		4,192,977.98
Notes of Bank of Canada		51,448,685.00
Deposits with Bank of Canada		11,581,585.00
Notes of other chartered banks		15,638,776.76
Government and bank notes other than Canadian		18,458,448.82
Cheques on other banks	\$ 20,370,177.50	\$ 96,241,514.74
Deposits with and balances due by other chartered banks in Canada	2,129.80	
Due by banks and banking correspondents elsewhere	47,007,220.38	
Dominion and Provincial Government direct and guaranteed securities maturing within two years, and secured market value		67,385,528.97
Other Dominion and Provincial Government direct and guaranteed securities, not exceeding market value		48,731,918.03
Canadian Municipal securities, not exceeding market value		127,480,130.58
Public Corporations other than Canadian, not exceeding market value		8,115,285.44
Other securities, debentures and stocks, not exceeding market value		13,125,914.34
Call and short, not exceeding 30 days' loans in Canada on funds, debentures and stocks, not exceeding a sufficient marketable value to cover		11,845,991.38
Call and short, not exceeding 30 days' loans elsewhere than Canada on funds, debentures, stocks and other securities of a sufficient marketable value to cover	\$ 26,328,679.93	
Current loans and discounts in Canada, not otherwise included, estimated loans provided for	\$ 217,124,161.59	\$ 442,873,881.73
Loans to Provincial Governments	354,780.46	
Loans to cities, towns, municipalities and school districts	9,257,971.94	
Current loans and discounts elsewhere than in Canada, not otherwise included, estimated loans provided for	98,989,947.62	
Non-Current loans, estimated loans provided for	3,984,714.62	
Bank premises, at not more than cost, less amounts written off	328,621,416.00	
Mortgages on real estate and by the bank	10,643,798.00	
per cent.	8,612,719.00	
Acceptances and letters of credit as specified	9,152,728.00	
Deposits with the Minister of Finance for the security of current	2,426,376.68	
Deposits with the Minister of Finance for the security of current	46,985,000.00	
Other assets not included under the foregoing heads	1,000,000.00	
	\$809,915,700.47	

NOTE:—The Royal Bank of Canada (France) has been incorporated under the laws of France to conduct the business of the Bank in Paris, and the assets and liabilities of The Royal Bank of Canada (France) are included in the above General Statement.

M. W. WILSON, S. G. DOBSON,
 Managing Director Director

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 30th November, 1934.....	\$ 1,546,804.99
Profits for the year ended 30th November, 1935, after making appropriations as Contingency Reserves, out of which Reserves provision for all Bad and Doubtful Debts has been made.....	4,340,522.41
	<u>\$ 5,847,327.40</u>

APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS:		
Dividend No. 190 at 8%	per annum.....	\$ 700,000.00
Dividend No. 191 at 8%	per annum.....	700,000.00
Dividend No. 192 at 8%	per annum.....	700,000.00
Dividend No. 193 at 8%	per annum.....	700,000.00

askatchewan Shipped Seven Tons Workmen Excavating For Old
To Britain Last Year Village Find Many Relics

Production of honey in Saskatchewan during the past year showed an increase of 59 per cent. over 1934, according to figures from the department of agriculture. The total yield was 1,034,000 pounds. The large increase was due to the increased number of beekeepers and to the fact that

Five tombs, a number of pickaxes, and a quantity of earthenware were found. The relics were believed to have been left by a party during the westward

In imitation of the American magazine Esquire, an English publisher has launched one called *Men Only*. As far as picking punk names is concerned, it looks like a dead heat.

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SYNOPSIS

Here is an absorbing and exciting story of a fight against stubborn prejudice and a bitter personal malignancy—of a girl and a man battling ridicule, sabotage, bullets and treachery that would turn them against each other.

The story opens with Link Fleming addressing a meeting of Boone County cattlemen, called together with the object of forming an irrigation company.

Roper Kilgo, the boss of the Rawhide and nearby ranges, who seemed to approve the plan, but was really opposed to it, had forced Roper, a derelict mining engineer, whom Kilgo knew would be called upon to give his expert opinion in favor of the scheme, to reverse his earlier endorsement, and declare that irrigation in Boone county so far as Hamilton's plan was concerned, was only a new-fangled way to waste money.

The meeting terminates, but Buzz Hamilton and his sister, Helen, Link and Kilgo stay behind and Helen asks Fleming questions about his irrigation plan. This angers Buzz, who accuses Fleming of trying to influence his sister and, as he asserts, ruin his "spread." Buzz shoots at Fleming in an unaccountable fit of anger, but Buster Townsend, Link's foreman, is shot in the stomach, and Fleming is uninjured. Buzz is arrested. The doctor attends Townsend and dresses his wound. Kilgo Roper suggests taking Helen to her home, but she refuses and Fleming escorts her home instead. This incident causes Roper to declare open hostility to Fleming.

(Now Go On With The Story)

CHAPTER IV—Continued

Fleming's face was illumined momentarily as he lighted his cigarette. "I guess you're askin' for plain truth. Stephen may send Buzz away for awhile if he can. He's set against

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shootin', especially in town. Sort of anxious to make an example of everyone that does it. Ames is a mighty good law officer and he figures to keep trouble down by actin' kind of harsh. I'll sure do somethin' about it if I can, but Ames goes his own way. Nobody can talk him out of anything." He was thinking that not even Kilgo could swerve the stern law officer.

The girl nodded, her slender fingers held worriedly to her lips. "Perhaps," she murmured softly, "it will do Buzz good. Oh, I know how he is—he's weak. Buzz is easily led, and I just have a feeling he has come under the influence of someone the last two years, someone very strong-minded. It seems a terrible thing to say, and I don't want my brother put in prison." A shudder escaped her lips. "But—well, perhaps punishment, a small amount of it, will make a new man of Buzz."

"That's what might happen, and I sure wish it would. I'll do anything I can for you while he's gone. Helen. I mean like helpin' with the Triple H."

"Thank you." Then thoughtfully: "I shall be in charge of the ranch, shan't I? I suppose I can do anything necessary to improve it or keep it up."

She went to mount her horse, Fleming paused. He squinted inquiringly at the little girl standing a few feet away, her face partly visible, partly in shadow. "What do you mean?"

"Why, Buzz and I own nine hundred acres out in the draw, don't we? Useless, barren land. Right next your seventeen hundred acres. How much do you suppose it would cost to dig irrigation ditches all through it, and build a small dam backing up Silver Creek into a sort of lake?"

With a low exclamation he dropped his reins and stepped nearer to peer startledly down at her. "Do you mean you'd go against the advice of the only man who really knows irrigation around here—Turney? And the advice of your own brother? And your—well, Kilgo?"

Helen tossed her head. "I don't know. How much do you think it would cost?"

"Offhand I'd say fifteen thousand dollars."

The girl placed a hand at her bosom. "I have the first thousand right here. Look. If the others don't want to come in, we could form a partnership, couldn't we? Now don't you think you'd better go home?"

As he rode up to the corral on his own ranch, Fleming still was impressed with the thought of the little girl's offer. But he frowned as he reflected that she could not realize the weight of public sentiment against them. Busybodies, ever eager to wag their tongues in speculation, would hint that Link had persuaded Helen against her will, free prediction of bankruptcy and ruin.

Dismissing the unsaddled 'n' his buckskin and turned the animal into the corral. With saddle and bridle in his arms he started toward the ranch house. Yes, everyone would be dead set against it. There would be gossip aplenty that Link had persuaded Helen against her will, free prediction of bankruptcy and ruin.

He stopped suddenly. The saddle fell from his grasp and his hand sought the holstered sixgun at his side. "Don't get tough, Link—it's me, Roper." A short, thick figure detached itself from the shadow of a low stoop and Kilgo stepped into a pool of faint moonlight, grinning. "Just wanted a little talk with yuh."

He went on easily. "Didn't mean to scare yuh, Link."

"I see." Surprise at the unexpectedness of the visit was masked in his next words. "Why sure, Roper, let's get inside and have a light."

He picked up his saddle again and carried it to the stoop. Leading the way into his four-room clapboard ranch house, he lighted an oil lamp on a centre table of the living room. "Make yourself at home," he invited his guest.

Kilgo appeared to have something on his mind. He stood fingering his cartridge belt while he shifted weight. "Say, Link, this here is kind of a hard thing to talk about. Fact is," he blurted out, "I planned on ridin' home with Helen Hamilton when she came. I mean, it kind of took me the while to get my sails when you went gallivantin' off with her."

"Yuh see, Helen and I—before you bought the Star Loop, I'd known her quite a spell. Always got along together good and all that. Some folks around the county'd tell yuh we're as good as engaged."

"That so? I didn't get quite that impression."

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Royal Bank Presents Strong Annual Statement

Deposits Up \$51,000,000—Marked Improvement Evident
Last Year Continues

The Annual Statement of The Royal Bank of Canada reflects a very substantial gain during the year. Assets have crossed the eight hundred million dollar mark, being actually \$800,919,000. Deposits show an increase slightly greater than the rather remarkable increase shown in the previous year.

Assets have increased during the year by over \$42,000,000. The growth of total assets is somewhat less than the increase in deposits is apparently accounted for by the fact that the special loan of \$9,000,000 under the Finance Act, current at November 30, 1934, has been repaid.

Strong Liquid Position
In these days of easy money, no great emphasis is placed by the banks on liquidity but actually immediately realizable assets are 58% of total liabilities to the public. Investments in Dominion and Provincial securities show an increase of \$6,716,525, which is in line with recent trends, not only in Canada but in the United States and Great Britain as well. The banks have never been in as strong position as they are at present to meet commercial demands for these deposits.

Deposits Largely Increased
Deposits registered a growth of \$51,000,000 and now stand at \$688,361,212. A decrease in interest-bearing deposits is noted. It is understood that this does not indicate a reduction in Savings deposits in Canada, which have actually increased about

He flashed a quick look. "Course I know you wasn't wise to it. It makes me plumb sure to have interference. Link—like it does any man, I reckon I'm knowin' for a guy that don't do no interference. Specially with steers and girls. Yes, we're just about engaged, all right," he repeated significantly.

There was a short pause. "She's mighty nice. Pretty, too. Noticed that myself, first look I had of her."

Kilgo's eyes were evasive. "What I'll get it at, I don't care to have you mix in my personal affairs, Fleming."

There was a truculent edge to his tone that the rancher did not miss. He tossed his hat on the table and rested a thigh over its corner. Swinging his leg idly, he examined Roper with keen, understanding eyes.

It was a play warning, a command that he had just issued, and it rubbed Fleming the wrong way.

"Seems almost like this engagement business is one-sided," he drawled. "However, I haven't any intention arguin' the matrimony question. By the way, Helen and I may go into partnership."

He started. "What do yuh mean?"

"Why, when folks go into business together, that's called a partnership. That seventeen hundred acres you let me win in a crooked poker game some time back needs water. It's gonna be worth a hundred million or two hundred an acre some day for alfalfa. Helen'll be in charge of the Triple H now, and she has more advanced ideas than Buzz. We're thinkin' of pooling our resources to put on an irrigation project of our own, reeving you and the others don't believe in good old-fashioned water."

The effect of this announcement was startling. Kilgo's jaw went slack and his eyes rounded in wonder. A low growl seemed to start in his barrel-chest, finally to burst from his lips with rage.

"Damn you!" he roared. "Yuh'll never do it!" Suddenly lifting one pudgy hand, he snatched off his sand-colored sombrero.

The sharp crack of a rifle was followed instantly by thinking glass. Some impulse, forever unexplained, had made Fleming jerk from his seat on the table edge as Roper grabbed his hat. Perhaps he thought the visitor meant to whip out his six-gun—Link could not tell afterward. But the next moment the mass of brown hair on his head flicked sharply. The bullet's speed sent a light breeze along his temple and instinctively he ducked. With a low thud the slug buried itself in the far wall.

"Don't move!"

Brittle with stern tension, Fleming stared down the barrel of his forty-five. "Don't make another signal, understand? Get over there—against that window. If anybody's going to get shot by yuh skunk assassin, it ain't going to be me!"

He was safe from windows, himself. "What the devil yuh talkin' about? Yuh mean to say—"

"Crabbin' your hat was a signal. Some gent outside was waitin' for it. He tried to murder me. That's what I'm talkin' about, Roper!"

stantially, but is accounted for by the reason of the payment of interest on a large proportion of the bank's deposits outside of Canada. It is no doubt a reflection of greatly improved business throughout the country that the growth under this heading during the past two years has been no less than 17%.

Commercial Loans Up
Commercial loans show a moderate increase of \$2,038,882, which is encouraging when it is taken into consideration that general experience has not yet indicated that demand for new loans has more than offset liquidation of slow advances carried in the depression. Loans in Canada also increased by \$2,898,033, but Call Loans abroad are down \$10,690,196. As is well known, the yield on such loans in London and New York is about at the vanishing point.

Profit and Loss Account
Profits for the year amounting to \$4,340,522 show a slight decrease but were sufficient to provide for \$2,500,000 in dividends, \$200,000 for transfer to Bank Premises account, \$200,000 to be applied to the Officers' Pension Fund and \$1,037,772 for Dominion and Provincial Government taxes, leaving a surplus of \$102,700 to be added to Profit and Loss Account, which now stands at \$1,609,554.

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders will be held at the Head Office of the bank in Montreal, on Thursday, January 9th at 11 a.m. When the report for the year ended November 30th will be submitted.

host with vengeful speed. But there was no opening, no chance to accomplish it, and after an uncertain twitching of his thick shoulders the man gulped and forced resentment from his face.

"Uh—goldam it, Link, yuh're all wrong! Say, I wouldn't fix up to murder anybody, man! What the devil—!" He waved his hands as if unable to express himself in words. "Come on, let's go after the guy. I'll prove to yuh I didn't."

The door burst open and Waco Byrne, one of the Star Loop hands, stepped in gripping a sixgun in each brawny fist. "Heard shootin', Boss, and glass. What happened?"

"Someone tried to get me, but he missed. Waco, you take two or three of the boys and go after him. He shot from the south; reckon he must have hid behind the tool shed. That gent can't be far off yet. Grab him!"

The door slammed as the puncher hurried to comply. Fleming watched his visitor with sharp suspicion. Finally, concluding it was safe to do so, he holstered his gun. "Thanks for your offer to hunt that guy gulcher, Kilgo, but I guess my men can do the job all right. You in a hurry to go?"

As if muttering his courage, Roper shuffled forward. "Aw, that's a helluva way, 'specially a guy!" he protested. "If I suspected you dead yuh, wouldn't I have done it myself?"

"Because I'm not so slow drawing, for one thing. And one of my men may have seen you come here, so it would be a bit hard to explain."

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Everyone Will Take Chance

Dieticians Say Only Heavy Worker
Should Eat Plum Pudding

The glorious, steaming plum pudding, tail-end of every traditional Christmas dinner, stands convicted as nutritionally incorrect and far too heavy for anyone whose task is lighter than ditch-digging in this work-a-day world.

The judges were Mrs. E. B. Rutter, professor of Household Science at the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, for many years, and Dr. J. S. Brown, specialist in children's ailments.

It was Dr. Brown who made the reference to ditch-digging. After condemning plum pudding as "really a terrible pudding," a plateful of which was a meal in itself, the specialist admitted the meal should depend upon the size of the eater.

"For a laboring man, digging ditches, there would be no harm in a meal of turkey, plum pudding, nuts and candy. The man who can afford these things is the man who should not eat them, and those who cannot afford them are those who should, he said."

Professor Rutter declared the plum pudding far too heavy a dish to follow the turkey. When nuts, raisins and candy were added, as usually, the meal became "really terrible" from a scientific nutritional point of view.

"Of course one cannot apply the dictates of nutrition to a traditional menu," Mrs. Rutter admitted. "Perhaps it is all right once a year, but it would be far better to follow the roast turkey with a light frozen dessert and have the pudding the next day with a little cold turkey."

"Of course there are plum puddings and plum puddings," Mrs. Rutter went on. The tendency now is to replace some of the nut by grated raw carrots and potatoes. The pudding need not be so highly spiced. Such puddings are far better for children."

Little Helps For This Week

Remember not the sins of my youth, nor my transgressions; According to Thy mercy remember Thou me. For Thy goodness' sake. O Lord. Psalm 25:7.

When my aching burdened heart beats heavily;
My sin lies heavily;
My pardon speak, new peace impart.
In love remember me.

We need to know that our sins are forgiven, and the only way we can know this is to feel that we have the peace of God, that we are so able to trust in the divine compassion and infinite tenderness of our Father we are able to go to Him whenever we commit sin and say at once to Him "Father I have sinned, forgive me."

To know we are forgiven it is only necessary to look into our Father's love until it sinks into our heart, to open our soul to Him till He shall pour His love into it, to wait on Him until we find peace, till the weight of responsibility ceases to be an oppressive burden to us, till we can feel that our sins, great as they are, cannot keep us away from our Heavenly Father.

Vacuum Tubes Blamed

United States Naval Radio Experts Give Cause Of Radio Interference

United States naval radio experts blamed an important tool of the medical profession for a persistent "shadow" interference with their high-frequency broadcasts.

Vacuum tubes used in X-ray and other machines by physicians were identified as the source of a tone heard principally on frequencies between 11,000 and 20,000 kilocycles.

The federal communication commission has been requested to control or eliminate the cause of the interference.



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Infantile Paralysis

Rockefeller Institute Reports Method To Deal With Scourge

Discovery at the Rockefeller Institute of a nose wash which protects monkeys from infantile paralysis is now ready "for trial in man" was reported to the Society of American Bacteriologists at its opening session in New York.

A second, entirely different sort of infantile paralysis preventive found in vitamin C, the vitamin from oranges, lemons, tomatoes, spinach, cabbage and lettuce was reported from Columbia University. The vitamin at Columbia prevented infantile paralysis in monkeys, but under circumstances so peculiar that the vitamin is not yet ready for trial for children.

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TAKE NOTICE that no Ratepayer in the said Town, Village or Hamlet whose Hospital Tax for the year 1935 does NOT amount to Six Dollars (\$6.00) or more is entitled to receive Hospital accommodation at the rate of One Dollar (\$1.00) per day unless prior to FEBRUARY FIRST, 1935, such ratepayer pays to the Secretary of the Wainwright Municipal Hospital District No. 17 the difference between the amount of his said tax and the sum of Six Dollars (\$6.00).

Resident Non-Ratepayers MUST pay the full sum of Six Dollars (\$6.00) to the said Secretary before FEBRUARY FIRST, 1936, before they can become entitled to hospital accommodation at the rate of One Dollar (\$1.00) per day.

The above ruling will be strictly adhered to

NOTICE

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United Church Notes

At the service held in the Irma church on January 12th, the pastor gave a report on the present standing of the Missionary and Maintenance Fund, both in regard to the whole church throughout Canada and the local congregation. He takes the present opportunity of making a similar though more brief report here, for the information of the friends who on account of distance and severe weather are not able to get in to church services at this time of the year.

Quoting from the latest issue of "The New Outlook" "The M. and M. receipts to January 8th totalled \$1,099,295, \$32,760 more than at the same date last year. . . . At least \$550,000 must be received by January 31st if the 1935 accounts are to be balanced. After January 8th last year receipts were \$518,632. The issue is clear and calls for vigor in action and generosity in giving". The Irma pastoral charge has paid in to date \$151 with about \$3 on hand. Last year the total was \$194. To this amount of \$151 will be added the contents of a number of cent-a-meal boxes yet to be collected, and any contributions that may come in before the end of the month. In view of the shortness of the time available, the holders of boxes can assist the pastor by sending in the contents to him.

The pastor gratefully acknowledges gifts made either by subscription or through the boxes; and as at the service, he would simply present the opportunity to others to make a free will offering in support of the Missionary work of the church. In order to help one must first be "able" and then "willing". If one has the means they should certainly give this matter their earnest personal consideration and if they are moved to "freely give" well and good. There is no thought of compulsion in real Christian giving. Those who would willingly give money but have not the means, must remember that money is a means to an end — in the Christian sense — the meeting of human need, and that they can supply this need in other ways. Jesus commended the poor woman who gave the two mites saying "She hath done what she could". That is all that can be expected of us — we cannot do more — the only question we have to answer for ourselves is "Should we do less?"

"What are you thinking about, my little man?" asked a charming hostess here of a youngster at the children's party. "Mamma told me," replied the little man, "not to take two oranges, and I was thinking I'd be mighty lucky if I got one."

Main Street

Born — to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mills of Edmonton, a daughter, on January 15th.

The Irma Trading Co. Ltd. have recently opened up a general store in Jarrov.

The annual meeting of the electors of the village will be held on January 31st, at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Smallwood have been enjoying a visit in Edmonton during the greater part of this month.

Rev. and Mrs. Kemp and family, Mr. Gus Christenson and Mr. A. Armour were among those who took advantage of the excursion rate to Edmonton last week-end.

Residents of this part of Alberta enjoyed a break in the cold weather on Wednesday. The cold snap of considerable length and the present mildness is very acceptable.

A whist drive and dance will be held in the Strawberry Plains school on January 31st. Admission 25c, ladies bringing refreshments free. Comp and win a prize. Card games start at 9 o'clock.

The reporter made a mistake in last week's Irma Times in announcing the Farmers' Mutual Telephone company meeting. This meeting will be held on Saturday afternoon, February 8th, instead of February 5th.

Immediately after the annual meeting of the Irma school district, a meeting of the new board was held. Officers appointed for the year are as follows: Chairman, W. N. Erickson; Secretary-treasurer, E. W. Carter; High school representative, A. E. Peterson. Regular meetings will be held in the village office on the second Monday of every month during 1936.

The January meeting of the W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Kemp on Thursday, January 16th. The president, Mrs. Locke, conducted the meeting and there were nine members present. It was gratifying to hear the treasurer's report to the effect that the allocation of \$120 had been reached due to a real effort on behalf of the members. Mrs. Kemp gave the third chapter of the study book in a most efficient manner. The completed slate of officers for 1936 was passed. Mrs. Arnold will take the study at the next regular meeting.

An invitation is extended to all ex-service men and their families to come to the annual meeting of the Irma branch of the Canadian Legion which will be held in Hedley's hall on Saturday, February 8th, at 7 p.m. Come in the afternoon, bring a lunch, do your shopping before the stores close and enjoy a social hour in the hall before the meeting. Immediately after the business has been disposed of a social time will be spent until midnight. The branch needs the support of all ex-service men. The ladies' auxiliary will also hold their annual meeting at the same time.

The death occurred very suddenly in the Hardisty hospital on Monday, January 20th, of little Dorcas Stella Harvey, aged one year and ten months the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Harvey. Early Sunday morning she was stricken with acute appendicitis and rushed to the hospital where an operation was performed. However, the appendix had ruptured, spreading poison all through her system, causing death the following day. The funeral service was held in the Irma United church, on Wednesday, January 22nd, Rev. E. F. Kemp officiating. A large number of sorrowing relatives and friends attended the service to pay their last respects. Interment was made in the Irma cemetery.

The annual meeting of the electors and ratepayers of the Irma school district was held in the school house on Saturday afternoon, January 18th, with a fair attendance. The school is being conducted in a very satisfactory manner as was shown by Inspector Good's reports. The financial statement for the year 1935 showed that all expenses had been paid and a nice balance was in the bank to start off another year. Mr. W. T. Barber, whose term had expired, was re-nominated and was opposed by Mrs. Arnold. Upon a vote being taken Mrs. Arnold received 39 votes and Mr. Barber 19. Chairman A. E. Peterson declared Mrs. Arnold elected for a term of three years, after which the meeting adjourned.

"Darling, the new maid has burned the bacon and eggs. Wouldn't you be satisfied with a couple of kisses for breakfast?"

He: "Sure, bring her in."

The collector approached a parishoner and held out the box. "I never give to missions," he said. "Then take some," whispered the collector. "The money is for the heathen."

Golf is like a love affair. If you don't take it seriously, it's no fun; if you do take it seriously, it breaks your heart.

BETTER AND CHEAPER

Health Service of the Canadian Medical Association and Life Insurance Companies in Canada.

We are apt to be suspicious of an article which is offered to us as being both better and cheaper than anything else. There is no doubt, however, that this claim can be made in so far as disease is concerned. No one can deny that the prevention of disease is better than cure, and certainly it is much cheaper to prevent than to cure.

Tuberculosis, being a communicable disease, is preventable. With early discovery and adequate treatment, most cases can be cured. Unfortunately, many cases are either not discovered early or else they do not secure the treatment they need, with the result that many lives are cut short.

The prevention of tuberculosis is nothing mysterious. It depends upon our making use of what is already known concerning the disease. The germ which causes tuberculosis is transferred from the sick to the well in the droplets of sputum or saliva expelled by coughs, sneezes or spitting.

Just as soon as we realize that the body secretions coming from the nose and mouth are the most dangerous disease spreaders, may we hope that effective means will be taken to prevent their passage from one person to another.

Those who know they have tuberculosis will if they have been taught, and particularly if they have had the great advantage of training in sanatorium, take such precautions as will protect those with whom they come in contact. There are many persons, going about their ordinary lives and work, who have tuberculosis but who do not know it; they are not taking any special care.

Everybody, men, women and children, should cover their mouths when they cough or sneeze. Spitting is mostly a habit as is shown by the gradual disappearance of the sputum. No one should spit except from necessity and then only into their handkerchiefs or a proper receptacle. No one should talk right into the face of some other person.

Eating and drinking utensils, unless sterilized, may pass these dangerous secretions from one user to another. The common drinking cup should be banished from the home as well as from public places. Health departments see that restaurants sterilize their dishes, but what happens in the home?

Each one can help to prevent tuberculosis by looking after his own general health, covering his mouth when coughing or sneezing, avoiding spitting, and by supporting the health organizations which work for the good health of all.

Questions concerning health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College St., Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

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Or failure's bitter sting,
Remember as you face despair
The duldest fool knows how to swear.

When things go wrong, as oft they will,
Don't let your passions go;
Remember signs of temper ill
The duldest mind can show.

It's proof of neither strength nor brains
To whine too loudly at your pains.

An idiot can curse and swear,
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